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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE BARBERING AND COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST : FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

:

STEFANIE L. CORBETT,

RESPONDENT. : LS0811034BAC

Division of Enforcement Case No. 04 BAC 097

The parties to this action for the purpose of Wis. Stat. § 227.53 are:

Stefanie L. Corbett 6035 Barton Avenue, Apt. D Los Angeles, CA 90038

Barbering and Cosmetology Examining Board P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53707-8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing Division of Enforcement P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Board. The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent **Stefanie L. Corbett** was licensed in the state of Wisconsin as an Aesthetician, license # 86-778, and as an Aesthetics Instructor, license # 72-132. Ms. Corbett's Aesthetician license was granted on 01/30/03, and expired on 06/30/07. Ms. Corbett's Aesthetics Instructor license was granted on 09/23/05, and expired on 06/30/07. The Department has discovered that Ms. Corbett presently resides in the state of California at 6035 Barton Avenue, Apartment D, Los Angeles, CA 90038.
- 2. A complaint was received by the Department alleging that several individuals with barbering and cosmetology practitioner licenses were renting chairs at East Town Spa Inc. without having separate manager licenses and separate establishment licenses
- 3. East Town Spa Inc. is a licensed barbering and cosmetology establishment located at 718 E. Wells Street, Milwaukee, WI 53202.
- 4. Pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § BC 3.02(2), the owner of a barbering and cosmetology establishment may lease a chair to an aesthetician as long as there is a written lease agreement and the lessee holds an establishment license. This rule has been in effect since October 1, 2003, with a 1-year grace period for getting into compliance for any person renting a chair prior to the October 1, 2003 effective date.

- 5. Wis. Admin. Code § BC 3.02(2) requires, in part, that "the lessee of a chair or booth shall be responsible for ensuring that the leased chair or booth operates in compliance with ch. 454, Stats., and the rules of the board."
- 6. On September 20, 2006, two investigators from the Department of Regulation and Licensing performed an unannounced inspection at East Town Spa Inc. Ms. Corbett was not present at the time of the inspection.
- 7. Follow-up investigation revealed that Ms. Corbett rented a chair from the owner of East Town Spa Inc. from May 2004 to October 2004, without having the required separate establishment license.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Wisconsin Barbering and Cosmetology Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 454.15, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).
- 2. Respondent **Stefanie L. Corbett** has violated Wis. Admin. Code § BC 3.02(2)(b) by renting a chair from the owner of East Town Spa Inc. without having the required separate establishment license for her chair rental. As a result, Ms. Corbett is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 454.15(2)(i).

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. **Stefanie L. Corbett** (license #72-132 and #86-778) be, and hereby is, REPRIMANDED.
- 2. **Stefanie L. Corbett** shall, within 90 days from the date of this Order, pay **COSTS** in the amount of **FIFTY DOLLARS** (\$ 50.00).
- 3. **Stefanie L. Corbett** shall, within 90 days from the date of this Order, pay a **FORFEITURE** in the amount of **ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$ 100.00)**.
- 4. Payment of the costs and forfeiture shall be made by **certified check or money order**, payable to the Wisconsin Department of Regulation and Licensing and sent to:

Department Monitor
Division of Enforcement
Department of Regulation and Licensing
P.O. Box 8935, Madison, WI 53708-8935
Telephone (608) 261-7904, Fax (608) 266-2264

- 5. Violation of any of the terms of this Order may be construed as conduct imperiling public health, safety and welfare and may result in a summary suspension of Ms. Corbett's licenses. The Board in its discretion may, in the alternative, impose additional conditions and limitations or other additional discipline for a violation of any of the terms of this Order. In the event Ms. Corbett fails to timely submit any payment as ordered, then her licenses (# 72-132 and #86-778) SHALL BE SUSPENDED without further notice or hearing until Ms. Corbett has complied with the terms of this Order.
 - 6. This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 2008.

By: Jeannie M. Bush